

The following was then offered by Rev. Dr. W. D. Lee, and carried by a small majority:

*Resolved*, That if, in the opinion of the next General Conference, it shall be deemed best to transfer the territory of the State of N. C., now in the Holston and Virginia Conferences, to the N. C. Conference; in that case it is the opinion of this District Conference that the best interest of Methodism in N. C. will be promoted by a division of the Conference into two Conferences.

Rev. A. A. Boshamer offered the following which was adopted, viz:

*Resolved*, That our thanks are due and are hereby tendered to the choir of this Church for the excellent music with which they have favored us during the sitting of this Conference.

The following offered by F. A. Clark, Esq., was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of this Conference are due and are hereby tendered to C. G. Montgomery for the very efficient manner in which he has discharged his duties as Secretary.

On motion of Rev. H. P. Cole, our Secretary was requested to furnish a brief synopsis of the proceedings of this Conference to the "Raleigh Christian Advocate," for publication.

The President now delivered a very eloquent and pathetic appeal to the Conference to reconsecrate themselves to the work of the Master, to seek fresh supplies of grace that they may go out from this Conference with increased strength and with a more fixed determination to be more constant and faithful in their efforts to glorify God and build up His Churches. He was especially earnest in his entreaties that our Church stand united in a solid phalanx in opposition to the great evils, intemperance and worldly amusements, so prevalent in our day.

After singing a hymn, and the benediction by the President, the Conference adjourned *sine die*.

W. H. BOBBITT, President.

C. G. MONTGOMERY, Secretary.  
Monroe, N. C., August 4th, 1877.